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- [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

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# RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 2855

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## **RESPONSE**

This is a response to the Final Office Action mailed on September 12, 2003. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claim rejections based on the following remarks.

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